# Weekly Market Summary

Published by:

Missouri Department of Agriculture **Ag Business Development Division Market News Program** 



Dr. Jon Hagler, Director Rachel Mobley-Sutherland, Division Director Tony Hancock, Editor mda.mo.gov http://www.ams.usda.gov/marketnews.htm

Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon, Governor

Volume XXXIII, Number 32 ♦ P.O. Box 630, Jefferson City, MO 65102 ♦ (573) 751-4211 ♦ Friday, Aug 09, 2013

#### MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT WEEK ENDING

Receipts: 12,882 Week ago: 24,771 Year ago: 18,361 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

Fdr. ST	EERS:	Fdr. HE	EIFERS:	Hols. S	ΓEERS
361 lbs.	186.01	355 lbs.	164.73	288 lbs.	123.72
456 lbs.	177.47	466 lbs.	158.43	352 lbs.	114.58
556 lbs.	169.58	549 lbs.	149.56	664 lbs.	106.79
652 lbs.	159.43	647 lbs.	144.87		
732 lbs.	151.19	733 lbs.	141.64		
842 lbs.	143.81	822 lbs.	139.39		
967 lbs.	135.82				

#### SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 2621 Week ago: 4671 Year ago: 5585 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers uneven on few good comparisons. Early week steers under 650 lbs and heifers under 550 lbs mostly 1.00-7.00 higher, heavier weights 2.00-4.00 lower. Late week all sales weak to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows weak to 1.00 lower.

Medium and	l Large 1	Medium a	nd Large 1
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	177.50-195.00 170.00-185.00 165.00-175.00 147.00-163.00 139.00-152.00	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	160.00 152.00-159.00 139.00-154.00 132.50-141.00 132.50-136.50
Holster Large Fra Scarce		lean) 78.00-86.0 83.00-93.50, lov	COWS: Boning (70-85% 00, high dressing w dressing 70.00 85-90%) 73.00-

SLAUC	<u> 11 Ht</u>	K BULLS:	Y iei	a
Grade	1-2	1200-2100	lbs	90.00
103.50.	high	dressing 10	6.00-	110.5

STEERS:

REPLACEMENT COWS: 0- Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 50 980-1325 lbs 3rd stage 1175.00-

**HEIFERS**:

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 1000-1325 lbs with baby to 350 lbs calves, some rebred, 1575.00-1875.00 per pair

The Weekly Market Summary is available to anyone for a \$25.00 annual subscription fee. To subscribe, send your check or money order to: Weekly Market Summary, Missouri Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 630, Jefferson City, MO 65102.

#### SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3475 Week ago: 5441 Year ago: 3957 Cow and Bull Receipts: 775 Week ago: 1023 Year ago: 2112 Compared to last week, steers and heifers under 650 lbs steady to 6.00 higher, over 650 lbs steady. Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 1.00 higher.

STEE	RS:	HEIFE	ERS:
Medium and	d Large 1	Medium and	d Large 1
400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs. 900-1000 lbs.	170.00-188.00 157.00-179.50 149.50-165.00 143.00-154.00 141.00-148.25 134.00-138.00	500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	150.00-170.00 143.00-155.00 136.00-146.00 136.00-143.25
HOLSTI Large Fr		SLAUGHTER Coand Boning (70-8	5% lean) 81.00-
600-700 lbs	105.00-116.00	87.00, high dressi Lean (85-90% lea	C
		SLAUGHTER 1 Grade 1-2 1030-2 101.50, high dr 112.75	2100 lbs 94.00-

### 1350 lbs 1200.00-1500.00 per head 1375.00-1575.00 per pair

### NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

Medium and Large 1-2 4 yrs to and Large 1-2 4-6 yrs 1080-1275 short and solid 2nd-3rd stage 1055- lbs with baby to 160 lbs calves,

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 337 Week ago: 2565 Year ago: 1558 Not enough feeder cattle for a market test. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 3.00

lower.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> :		
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1		
500-600 lbs.	16550-178.50		151.50-165.00	
600-700 lbs.	155.50-165.00		150.25	

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield

REPLACEMENT COWS:

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breaking Grade 1-2 1500-2080 lbs 90.00- and Boning (70-85% lean) 75.00-97.00, ind. high dressing 102.00 82.00, high dressing 82.00-85.00 Lean (85-90 % lean) 70.00-72.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium

BRED COWS: Medium and COW-CALF PAIRS: Scarce Large 1-2 6-7 yrs 1185-1230 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1100.00-1160.00 per head

#### WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville. Butler not reported this week)
Receipts: 1883 Week Ago: 2330 Year Ago: 2600
Compared to last week, feeders over 500 lbs mostly firm to 3.00 higher, under 500 lbs 4.00-5.00 higher where tested.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1		<u>FEEDER H</u> Medium an	
500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	162.00-182.50 148.00-168.00 143.00-157.50	500-600 lbs.	145.00-164.00 143.00-160.00 130.50-145.00
SLAUGHTER BULI Grade 1-2 1160-2270 104.50, high dressing 110.00	lbs. 93.00-	SLAUGHTER Coing and Boning (77.50-86.50, high -95.50 Lean (85-95.50 Lean (85-95.5	75-85% lean) dressing 85.25
COW & CALF PAIR	S: Scarce	REPLACEMENT dium and Lrge 1- 1200 lbs 3rd stag 1610.00	2 2-4 yrs 1025-

#### EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Macon, Boonville) Receipts: 2080 Week ago: 4147 Year ago: 1807 Compared to last week steers and heifers, on light supply steady to firm. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u> Medium and Large 1 and 1-2		FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 and 1-2		
450-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	180.00-185.00 166.50-178.50 147.50-167.00 146.00-157.25	500-600 lbs.	151.00-177.00 145.00-155.50 137.00-155.00	
SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIF- ERS: Select and Choice 2-4 114.50-123.50		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 79.00 -89.00, high dressing 87.50-97.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 74.00 -84.00		
COW & CALF P	PAIRS: Scarce	SLAUGHTER BI Grade 1-2 1450-2 105.00, high dress 113.50	150 lbs 97.00-	
NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY				

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria) Feeder Cattle Receipts: 144 Week ago: 4383 Year ago: 188
Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 25 Week ago: 27 Year ago: 13
Feeder steers and heifers not tested. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter steers and heifers steady.

FEEDER HEIFERS:

REPLACEMENT COWS:

FEEDER STEERS:

COW & CALF PAIRS: Scarce

Medium and Large 1-2		Medium and Large 1-2	
Scarce	Scarce	Scarce	Scarce
SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1150-1550 lbs 12 123.75	21.75-	SLAUGHTER COV and Boning (75-85% 80.00-89.00	<u>WS:</u> Breaking % lean)
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Scarce		SLAUGHTER BUI Grade 1-2 1500-235 109.00	

Scarce

#### SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 1213 Week ago: 1349 Year ago: 1994 Compared to last week, feeders over 400 lbs steady to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00 higher.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u> Medium and Large 1		FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. REPLACEMENT Medium and Large 1590 lbs 2nd-3rd s 1600.00.	1-2 3-6 yrs 910-	500-575 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-775 lbs. SLAUGHTER (and Boning (75-83.50, high dre	152.00-160.00 145.00-166.00 142.00-159.00 130.00-144.50 140.00-145.00 COWS: Breaking .85% lean) 75.00 sssing 83.50- -90% lean) 65.50
COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium 1-2 3-7 yrs 1170-1420 lbs with 120-320 lbs calves 2000.00-2370.00 per pair		SLAUGHTER I Grade 1-2 1020 98.50, high dres 115.00	0-2335 lbs 88.00-

#### SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 1914 Week ago: 1080 Year ago: 2324 Compared to last week feeder steer and heifers steady to 6.00 higher with some steers under 500 lbs 10.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to

3.00 higher.

2.00 mgmen.				
FEEDER S	STEERS:	<b>FEEDER</b>	HEIFERS:	
Medium and	d Large 1	Medium a	and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	183.00-204.00	300-400 lbs.	159.00-173.00	
400-500 lbs.	163.00-196.75	400-500 lbs.	155.00-169.00	
500-600 lbs.	153.50-182.50	500-600 lbs.	145.00-160.00	
600-700 lbs.	153.00-171.00	600-700 lbs.	138.25-154.50	
700-800 lbs.	143.50-157.25	700-800 lbs.	130.00-145.50	
REPLACEMENT C	OWS: Medium	SLAUGHTER	COWS: Break-	
and Large 1-2 short	and solid 1100-	ing and Boning	(70-85% lean)	
1225 lbs 3rd stage 10	035.00-1175.00	76.00-82.50, high dressing 82.00		
per head		-90.50. Lean (85-90%) 70.00-		
Î		78.00		
COW & CALF PAI	RS: Scarce	SLAUGHTER		
		Grade 1-2 1400	-1900 lbs, 94.00-	
		103.00		

#### MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts: 0 Week ago: 600 Year ago: 0 Trading inactive as of 8:00 am Friday. Compared to last week, no confirmed live or dressed sales.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS: DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS: No Sales No Sales

> GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 194.00 late last Friday

#### INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 1417 Week ago: 1256 Year ago: 3339 Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 1.00 higher. Sows steady to 4.00 lower.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:** SOWS: Base carcass meat price 93.00 300-500 lbs. 67.00-70.00 Weekly top Friday 93.00 Over 500 lbs. 72.00-74.00

#### MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 7330 Compared to last week, weaner pigs sales steady. No recent comparison on feeder pig sales. Supply and demand moderate. Prices per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights fob the farm 0% negotiated, 2530 head, 10 lbs, 36.50-42.00, weighted average 39.39. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights, delivered 0% negotiated, no sales reported. Feeder pigs in all lot sizes, delivered 100 % negotiated, 4800 head, 40 lbs, 60.00.

### WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	405.30	370.00	480.00	162.50
St. Louis	449.00	352.50	482.50	160.00

Mexico—Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards 08/08/2013
Receipts: 415 Week Ago: 730 Last Year: 638 All Prices per cwt.
SHEEP Slaughter Lambs: non-traditional markets, Choice few Prime 2-3
55-75 lbs 103.00-110.00, pkg 118 lbs 105.00. Good and Choice 1-2 4575 lbs 100.00-102.00. Pkg Good 1-2 60 lbs 96.00. Feeder Lambs: lot
Medium and Large 1-2 73 lbs 106.00. Small and Medium 1-2 Hair and
Hair-cross 25-30 lbs 118.00-136.00, 36-46 lbs 108.00-118.00. Slaughter
Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 few 110-190 lbs 38.00-45.00, pkg 60.00.
Slaughter Bucks: pkg 225 lbs 46.00. GOATS: Slaughter Kids: Selection
1-2 few 50-65 lbs 154.00-164.00, pkg 75 lbs 136.00. Selection 2-3 few
50-65 lbs 152.00-154.00, two pkgs 34-44 lbs 138.00. Nannies: Selection
2-3 few 95-125 lbs 78.00-85.00. Replacement Selection 1-2 pkg Bred
108 lbs 102.00. Billies: Selection 1-3 110-225 lbs 99.00-109.00.

#### Norwood Producers Auction Yard Dairy sale 08/08/2013 Receipts: 217 Last Month: 374 Year Ago: 677

Springer heifers bred 7-9 Supreme Indiv 1200.00, Indiv Jersey 1090.00, Pair Crossbreds 1250.00-1310.00; Approved 925.00-1150.00, Jerseys 885.00-1080.00, Crossbreds 975.00-1050.00. Heifers bred 4-6 months: Supreme 1150.00-1170.00, Crossbreds 1000.00-1180.00, Indiv Crossbred 1300.00; Approved 835.00-900.00, Few Crossbreds 580.00-710.00. Open heifers: Approved and Medium: 200-600 lbs Few 300.00-590.00, 600-700 lbs 620.00-810.00, 700-800 lbs Package of 7 at 807 lbs 860.00. Fresh and open milking cows: Approved Indiv 1125.00; Medium Pair 750.00-800.00; Common 600.00-690.00. Springer cows: Supreme 1200.00-1250.00; Approved- Few 1050.00-1125.00, Pair Crossbreds 880.00-1025.00. Baby calves: Holstein heifers 105.00-125.00; Holstein bulls 105.00-150.00, Small 40.00-90.00; Jersey bulls 40.00-65.00; Crossbred heifers 90.00-110.00; Crossbred bulls 85.00-135.00, Pair Small 35.00-55.00; Beef cross bulls 75.00-195.00.

#### Diamond-TS White's Monthly Sheep and Goat Sale 08/01/2013 Receipts: 1235 Month Ago: 706 Year Ago: 1323

**Sheep** Slaughter Lambs: Choice 2-3 70-80 lbs 87.50-100.00; 80-100 lbs 90.00-95.00; 105-130 lbs 77.50-100.00; hair 80-90 lbs 90.00-107.50; 90-100 lbs 95.00-100.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 30 -60 lbs 125.00; 60-70 lbs; 115.00-132.50; hair: 40-60 lbs 120.00-137.50; 60-80 lbs 100.00-127.50. Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 hair 70-131 lbs 45.00-60.00. **Goats** Slaughter Classes Kids Selection: 1 50-60 lbs 165.00-175.00; 60-70 lbs160.00-175.00; 70-80 lbs 150.00-175.00; 90-100 lbs 160.00-170.00. Selection 2 50-60 lbs 152.50-160.00; 60-70 lbs 152.50-165.00; 70-90 lbs 140.00-145.00. Selection 3 60-70 lbs 105.00-140.00 Does/Nannies: Selection 1 120-150 lbs 55.00-80.00. Selection 2 73-125 lbs 65.00-95.50. Selection 3 58-88 lbs 70.00-77.50; Dairy 50-110 lbs 60.00-80.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 78-140 lbs 112.50-120.00. Selection 2-3 aged wethers65-140 lbs 115.00-120.00. Selection 3 70-115 lbs 80.00-117.50.

#### WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .01 to .09 higher, Wheat .17 to .27 lower, Corn .09 to .11 lower, KC Wheat .09 to .15 lower, Soybean Meal 1.90 to 8.40 higher.

#### Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans Aug Sep Nov Jan Mar	1329 3/4 1207 1/2 1183 1/4 1190 1194 3/4	1324 11/4 1193 1/2 1167 1/4 1174	1327 3/4 1199 1165 3/4 1165 3/4 1172 1/4	1355 3/4 1227 3/4 1184 1/4 1189 1/4 1193 1/4	1340 3/4 1218 1/2 1182 1/4 1188 1192 1/2
Wheat Sep Dec Mar May Jul	645 1/4 657 3/4 668 674 668 3/4	650 1/2 662 3/4 673 1/4 679 3/4 675	643 1/2 656 1/4 667 3/4 675 1/4 669 1/2	641 1/4 653 3/4 665 1/2 673 1/2 668	633 1/2 647 1/4 660 1/2 668 1/2 665
Corn Sep Dec Mar May Jul	469 1/4 460 1/2 473 1/2 481 487 1/4	472 1/4 459 1/4 472 1/2 480 1/4 486	468 1/4 458 1/4 471 1/2 479 1/4 484 3/4	473 1/2 459 3/4 473 1/4 487 1/4 490 3/4	465 3/4 453 1/4 466 3/4 475 481 1/4
KC Wheat Sep Dec Mar May Jul	695 1/2 707 1/4 716 1/4 717 1/4 700 1/4	702 712 1/4 720 3/4 721 1/2 706	699 707 1/2 716 1/2 717 1/4 701 3/4	702 706 3/4 715 715 1/2 699 1/2	697 1/4 703 1/2 712 1/4 714 698 1/2
SB Meal Aug Sep Oct Dec Jan	402.60 377.10 354.80 351.60 353.10	396.00 371.60 348.80 345.70 347.60	400.30 377.00 351.80 347.40 349.30	422.50 392.60 360.60 356.80 358.40	420.50 390.60 360.00 356.10 357.90

#### WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 1.33 to 2.40 higher, Lean Hogs 1.02 to 1.27 higher, Feeder Cattle .13 to .85 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle Aug Oct Dec Feb Apr	120.55 124.55 127.02 128.85 130.15	120.92 124.67 127.30 129.07 130.20	121.22 124.67 127.22 128.87 130.20	122.67 127.07 128.87 130.30 131.57	122.50 126.87 128.80 130.47 131.60
Lean Hogs Aug Oct Dec Feb Apr	100.22 85.50 82.20 84.22 84.85	100.55 86.45 82.85 84.80 84.85	100.22 84.92 81.67 83.77 84.15	100.62 85.25 82.15 84.50 85.05	100.52 84.97 82.05 84.45 84.95
Fdr Cat Aug Sep Oct Nov Jan	153.97 157.00 159.15 160.00 159.00	154.25 157.65 159.87 160.57 159.65	152.57 156.37 158.82 159.52 158.95	154.25 157.82 160.52 160.70 159.87	153.85 157.47 160.00 160.37 159.15
Milk Aug Sep Oct	17.96 18.39 18.36	17.95 17.69 17.77	18.12 18.14 18.15	18.16 18.38 18.32	18.09 18.05 17.96

#### **By-Product Feed Prices**

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, St. Louis, MO none reported; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 205.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 230.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 155.00. Prices per ton.

WEEKLY MARKET SUMMARY (USPS 597250) To be published weekly by the Missouri Department of Agriculture 1616 Missouri Blvd. Jefferson City, MO 65109 Postmaster: Send address changes to: Missouri Department of Agriculture P.O. Box 630 Jefferson City, MO 65102 Periodicals postage paid at Jefferson City, Missouri

## Market News Hotline 1-573-522-9244

August 09, 2013

#### MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Weekly Trends: Soybeans .09 lower to .85 higher, Wheat .27 to .44 lower, Corn unchanged to .29 lower, Grain Sorghum .09 to 1.00 lower.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	12.57 12.83 12.92 12.31 13.44 13.42	6.61 6.40-6.45 6.46-6.51 6.39-6.44 6.36-6.41 6.29-6.34	5.56-5.61 5.49-5.54 5.52-5.57 5.53 5.59 5.51	9.09 9.04 9.00 8.98 9.02 8.09
St. Louis Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	13.03 13.05-13.13 12.89-13.11 12.77-12.98 12.96-13.16 12.94-13.42	6.88 6.69 6.66 6.55 6.52 6.44	5.16-5.74 5.09-5.67 5.12-5.70 5.03-5.48 5.08-5.53 5.00-5.45	11.34 11.17 11.14 11.13 11.39 11.25
Central Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	12.37-12.42 12.38-12.43 12.22-12.37 12.26-12.56 12.69-12.74 12.67-12.72	6.41-6.46 6.25-6.30 6.31-6.36 6.24-6.29 6.21-6.26 6.14-6.19	5.46-5.56 5.39-5.49 5.42-5.52 5.38-5.48 5.44-5.54 5.36-5.46	n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a
S.E. MO Friday** Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	11.19-12.82 11.20-13.03 11.05-12.87 11.86-12.86 11.22-13.05 11.13-12.84	6.41-6.70 6.28-6.49 6.34-6.55 6.22-6.34 6.19-6.39 6.12-6.19	4.41-5.20 4.34-4.77 4.37-4.80 4.30-4.55 4.31-4.75 4.21-4.65	n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT) \*NEW CROP \*\*PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRICES

#### Crop Progress and Condition Week Ending August 4, 2013

Agricultural Summary Cool temperatures with heavy rainfall in the southwest part of the state and widespread showers across the rest of the state improved crop conditions. There were 4.6 days suitable for fieldwork. The southwest district had 2.2 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil **moisture** supply was 10 percent very short, 27 percent short, 54 percent adequate and 9 percent surplus. **Subsoil moisture supply** was 6 percent very short, 28 percent short, 62 percent adequate and 4 percent surplus. Field Crops Report Corn silked was 89 percent complete, 19 days behind last year and 5 days behind normal (5-year average). Forty-two percent of corn was in the dough stage, 20 days behind last year and 6 days behind normal. Corn dented was 10 percent complete, 21 days behind last year and 8 days behind normal. Corn condition was 5 percent very poor, 15 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 43 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. Soybeans blooming were 53 percent complete, 16 days behind last year and 7 days behind normal. Soybeans setting pods was 16 percent complete, 13 days behind last year and 8 days behind normal. Soybean condition was 4 percent very poor, 11 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 44 percent good, and 7 percent excellent. Sorghum headed was 43 percent complete, 16 days behind last year and 5 days behind normal. One percent of sorghum was turning color and beyond, 28 days behind last year and 20 days behind normal. Sorghum condition was 1 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 36 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 3 percent excellent. Alfalfa hay 2nd cutting was 96 percent, 22 days behind last year but 6 days ahead of normal. Alfalfa hay 3rd cutting was 26 percent, 20 days behind last year and 5 days behind normal. Other hay cut was 95 percent, 30 days behind last year, but 3 days ahead of normal. Pasture & Livestock Pasture conditions were 2 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 36 percent fair, 49 percent good, and 5 percent excellent. Supply of hav and other roughages was 1 percent very short, 5 percent short, 83 percent adequate and 11 percent surplus. Stock water supplies were 5 percent short, 85 percent adequate and 10 percent surplus. Weather **Summary Temperatures** were 3 to 8 degrees below average across the state. Precipitation averaged 1.92 inches statewide. The southwest district reported 5.10 inches. Wright County reported 10.26 inches